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Kristi V. Woodall newest member of the EOC

Columbia – Dr. Kristi V. Woodall, of Union, has been appointed to serve on the South Carolina Education Oversight Committee (EOC).

Woodall, Interim Director of Instruction in Spartanburg School District Two, has been appointed to serve as the education representative from the House Education and Public Works Committee. Woodall fills the term vacated by Wallace Hall, who resigned from the committee last week. The appointment was made by Rep. Bob Walker, Chairman of the House committee and also an EOC member.

Woodall received her B.A. in Biology from Furman University. She received her M.Ed. in Educational Leadership from Clemson University and her Ed.D. in Educational Leadership from S.C. State University.

Prior to her position in the school district office, Woodall served as the Principal of Union High School, from 2003 to 2006. During that time, she also served as the SC District 16 appointee to the State Board of Education. In 2006, Woodall was recognized as the Nationally Distinguished South Carolina Secondary Principal of the Year. Woodall began her career in education as a biology teacher in Charleston, Greenville, and Fort Mill School Districts. She was named Teacher of the Year at Garrett Academy of Technology in 1996.

Woodall is a member of the South Carolina Association of School Administrators (SCASA) and serves on the South Carolina Professional Review Committee of Teacher Education.

Active in community affairs, Woodall is a member of the Rotary Club of Downtown Spartanburg, the University of South Carolina Upstate Education Department Advisory Board, the Union County YMCA Board of Directors, and the Medical Alliances of SC and Union County.

"I am honored that Representative Walker has selected me to represent the House Education and Public Works Committee, and I look forward to working with him. I am happy to use my background in instruction, curriculum, and assessment to share insight into the building and district's perspective on state accountability measures."

Woodall is married to Dr. Timothy Woodall, a dermatologist practicing in Rock Hill, SC. Their children are Spencer, 4, and Mae Hollins, 1.

The EOC is an independent, non-partisan group made up of 18 educators, business persons, and elected officials who are appointed by the legislature and governor to monitor and review the implementation of the 1998 South Carolina Education Accountability Act, the Education Improvement Act, and the K-12 system.